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1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2   *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. NATIONAL CENTER FOR EDUCATION STATIS-**  
2 **TICS.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 406 of the General Edu-  
4 cation Provisions Act (20 U.S.C. 1221e-1) is amended—

5 (1) in paragraph (1) of subsection (f), by strik-  
6 ing “and 1993” and inserting “1993, and 1994”;  
7 and

8 (2) in subparagraph (C) of subsection (i)(2)—

9 (A) by redesignating clauses (iii), (iv), and  
10 (v) as clauses (iv), (v), and (vi), respectively;

11 (B) by inserting after clause (ii) the follow-  
12 ing new clause:

13 “(iii) The National Assessment  
14 shall—

15 “(I) conduct, in 1994, a trial  
16 mathematics assessment for the 4th  
17 and 8th grades, and a trial reading  
18 assessment for the 4th grade, in  
19 States that wish to participate, with  
20 the purpose of determining whether  
21 such assessments yield valid and reli-  
22 able State representative data;

23 “(II) develop a trial mathematics  
24 assessment for the 12th grade, and a  
25 trial reading assessment for the 8th  
26 and 12th grades, to be administered

1 in 1994 in States that wish to partici-  
2 pate, with the purpose of determining  
3 whether such assessments yield valid  
4 and reliable State representative data;  
5 and

6 “(III) include in each such sam-  
7 ple assessment described in subclauses  
8 (I) and (II) students in public and  
9 private schools in a manner that en-  
10 sures comparability with the national  
11 sample.”; and

12 (C) in clause (vi) (as redesignated by sub-  
13 paragraph (A)), by striking “paragraph (C) (i)  
14 and (ii)” and inserting “clauses (i), (ii) and  
15 (iii)”.

16 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Subparagraph (D)  
17 of section 405(f)(1) of the General Education Provisions  
18 Act (20 U.S.C. 1221e(f)(1)) is amended by striking  
19 “1993” and inserting “1994”.

Passed the Senate April 21 (legislative day, April  
19), 1993.

Attest:

*Secretary.*